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## Cops release 'cab cam' pic of suspect

**ROBBERY** Police hope the first-ever release of an image captured by a city taxi's new "cabbie cam" will help them identify a suspect in the knife-point robbery of a driver last month.



At 10:45 p.m. on July 31, a Blue Line taxi driver was instructed by a fare to go to the rear of Ridgemont High School, where five black males allegedly pulled him from the car and robbed him at knifepoint.

The driver was not injured. The suspect is described as black, 18 years old with medium-length black hair and a small moustache. He wore a long-sleeved white shirt. He gave his name as "Mohammed."

It is the first time since cab security cameras became mandatory in taxis this month that police have released an image taken by the machines to assist an investigation.

Call Det. Mark Kilby at 613-236-1222 ext. 5193 if you have information.

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## Perfect side to BBQ ribs

Folk Fest page 10

Expectations high for BSS

## Beijing Olympics Split-second loss



Mike Brown of Perth, near Ottawa, swims the 200 Breaststroke Final yesterday. He finished fourth less than ten one-hundredths of a second behind the bronze medalist at the National Aquatic Center at the Beijing Olympics yesterday. More Olympic coverage, page 7.

# City transit lacking 'cool' cachet: Study

Local residents say social stigma keeping youth in cars

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**Satisfaction with Ottawa's public transit seems to be growing, but more young people have to view riding the rails and bus routes as "cool" if the system hopes to grow.**

That's the conclusion of a 2008 OC Transpo usage and attitude survey released yesterday that marked an 18 per cent jump in riders who ranked Ottawa public transit as "good or very good," but also discovered a social stigma among younger commuters in particular towards public transit.

"You can see (ridership) going up every year, but un-

derneath that curve there is a group of people that have the concept that they can't wait to buy a car," said transit services director Alain Mercier.

"We're actually losing a substantial amount of people every year as they migrate into finally buying a car. That's one of our challenges — to stop them from buying that car."

The survey of 2,000 city residents, conducted by Toronto-based Core Strategies Inc., is intended to give OC Transpo directions for increasing ridership.

Dan Baril, from Core Strategies, said convenience is the primary reason people chose to drive or ride the bus, but he said there's

### 'Very good' step

According to the 2008 survey, 63 per cent of people ranked OC Transpo service as "good or very good," compared to 45 per cent who did so the previous year.

also a social barrier that must be broken in order to make it "cool" to choose transit.

"From the focus groups, what came up was this whole issue of whether or not transit versus driving around in a BMW was a question of social status," he said.

The survey asked if there was a perception that driving was seen as "socially

better" than using public transit. Seventeen per cent of those surveyed thought non-transit users had a low opinion of transit riders.

Transit committee chair, Coun. Alex Cullen said it was reassuring to see growing rider satisfaction in the survey and credited improved transparency at OC Transpo when it comes to addressing service issues.

"It's recognizing problems and not trying to slough it off and addressing it has restored some confidence in the public in our ability to deliver services."

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## Country heart to city's EX

**FAIR** It started out as an agricultural fair.

And while some people gripe that SuperEX has abandoned its rural roots, organizers counter the 11-day event has evolved, while keeping a focus on the agricultural aspect that started it.

"(Agriculture) is an important component of SuperEX," said spokeswoman Cathy Farish. "Only now, it's more to educate people. It's mostly downtown city kids that come out, so we like to teach them about something they don't get the chance to learn about."

SuperEX organizers bill the Pure Country Pavilion at the Aberdeen Pavilion as a main attraction, with a petting zoo, 4-H livestock competitions, wagon rides and hands-on activities.

But SuperEX, which opens its 120th year today, has changed to include more family activities.

The event is expected to draw over 500,000 people and has even spawned its own festival. The six-day Capital Magic Festival, to run on weekends, features illusionists, escape artists and comedians.

The concert lineup includes Glass Tiger, Default, Shane Yellowbird, Jimmy Flynn, the Amazing Kreskin, the Stampedeers and Kim Mitchell — free with admission for the first time this year.

The Coliseum building will become the sports pavilion, which will highlight sports demonstrations and autograph sessions as a tribute to the Olympics. And of course, there will be dozens of midway rides.

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A man who died of possible cyanide poisoning at a Denver hotel has been identified as Saleman Abdirahman Dirie, 29, of Ottawa. Police say he had been dead several days when his body was discovered in a room at the Burnsley Hotel, near the State Capitol. [CTVOTTAWA.CA](#)

# Ottawa



## Laundry loonies lifted

Thieves are breaking into downtown apartment buildings' laundry areas and stealing money from coin-operated machines, city police warned yesterday. Bronson Avenue, the Rideau Canal, the Ottawa River and Highway 417 border the area that's been targeted. Three suspects have been charged with nine offences related to the laundry room break and enters in the past month.

OTTAWA POLICE

## Ottawa Pride festival to get staggered start

TRACEY TONG  
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Two events tomorrow night will whet partygoers' appetites for the Capital Pride Festival, but residents will have to wait for the main event to begin.

Following the Queer Spelling Bee and the Guerilla Gay-Fare, Capital Pride will go silent for the Marion Steele weekend while Montreal holds its annual pride parade and community day.

"We decided to keep it open so that people can attend in Montreal."

Held at the Shanghai Restaurant at 9 p.m., the Queer Spelling Bee will have contestants spelling words "that are quite different than words at regular spelling bees," said Steele. "It's definitely an (age) 19-plus event."

The Guerilla Gay-Fare invites people to dress in purple and "descend upon a straight-owned establishment," with this year's meeting spot being Elgin Street's Diesel Nightclub.

The festival officially kicks off with a flag raising at city hall at 4 p.m. Monday.

Despite cutting a weekend out of the festival, organizers are still expecting its best attendance numbers ever. "Over the seven days, we're expecting 50,000 people," said Steele.

**With its world-class sporting facilities and three student residences, Ottawa is a "logistical dream" for the Ontario Summer Games, organizers said yesterday to launch the event.**

The four-day games, which kicked off with opening ceremonies at Carleton University yesterday, bring 3,500 athletes and over 500 parents, coaches and managers from across Ontario to the capital and event co-director Carrie Croft said Ottawa was more than ready for them.

For the fourth time — and for a second consecutive year — Ottawa has the facilities and the infrastructure to accommodate the event," said Croft.

"The Terry Fox (athletic facility) has a fantastic track and field facility and there are two great baseball venues," she said.

Orleans' Heritage Park and Hamilton Yards on Woodroffe Avenue both have baseball fields that didn't require any improvements to meet provincial sport standards.

"The 48 venues are technically approved by provin-



ETIENNE RANGER FOR METRO OTTAWA

The Extreme KICK soccer team members are among the 3,500 youth athletes in Ottawa this week for the 2008 Ontario Summer Games that kicked off with an opening ceremony last night.

cial sport organizations. There aren't many cities that would have that many sports facilities technically qualified for provincial championships," said Pat Reid, director general of the games.

With the University of Ottawa, Carleton University and Algonquin College, there's also an abundance of accommodation for athletes, said Reid.

The athletes aren't the only ones benefiting from

having the games in the capital. The games brought \$1.2 million into the city in 2006 and the addition of new sports this year — including swimming, water polo, triathlon and lawn bowling — will likely make the economic impact closer to \$1.5 million in 2008, said Reid.

The more popular events, including baseball and track and field, are likely to bring in spectators from outside the area.

Although local sports nuts are tuning into the Olympics in Beijing, the event will help, not hinder the games here, Croft said.

"People understand the link between the summer games and the Olympics — that these are up and coming athletes, that they are future Olympians from Ontario," she said.

For a list of events, times and venues, visit [www.2008osc.ca](#).

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What's online today.

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43, 44, 47, 52, 54, 59, 61, 66, 67, 68, 70  
These results are not official.



### News in brief

**THEFT** A knife-wielding man robbed a convenience store late Tuesday night. Shortly after 11 p.m., a man entered a Hasty Market on Carling Avenue and brandishing a knife, demanded money. The clerk on duty gave him cash, which the suspect stuffed into his pockets before running away. There were no injuries. The suspect is a white male with blond hair, five-foot-seven with a mustache and goatee. He was wearing sunglasses, a brown hooded sweatshirt and blue jeans.

**SPILL** A huge fuel spill at a Merivale Road gasoline facility yesterday afternoon poses no environmental risk, firefighters said. The Ottawa fire department got the call at 12:41 p.m. about a fuel spill where up to 3,000 litres of diesel had been released, but was quickly contained.

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An estimated 2,500 rabbits were killed when fire destroyed a barn in Metcalfe — one of two barn blazes in the city's south end early yesterday and late Tuesday night.

Ottawa Fire Chief Sheldon Ridgeway said firefig-

ers were called to a rabbit farm at 2118 8th Line Road in Metcalfe at 11:37 p.m. Tuesday, where crews found a barn fully engulfed in flames.

It took an hour for 53 firefighters to extinguish the fire but the barn was totally destroyed, causing an estimated \$70,000 in damage.

"I can't give you an estimate on what the rabbits

were worth," said Ridgeway.

Firefighters were called to another barn fire in Stittsville at around 1:10 a.m. at 5611 Fernbank Road, where a barn was fully engulfed in flames.

"It was going pretty good," Ridgeway said.

The barn, which was vacant at the time, was the second building on the site to be destroyed recently, said

Ridgeway. "The house out there (also) burnt down several weeks ago."

It took 21 firefighters about 20 minutes to put out the flames. There were no injuries.

Although firefighters are not yet calling the fire suspicious, the incident is under investigation.

"They don't start by themselves," Ridgeway said.

## Thousands of rabbits perish in barn blaze

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**Soldiers' bodies come home**

Family members of Master Cpl. Josh Roberts and Master Cpl. Erin Doyle joined Gov. Gen. Michaëlle Jean, Chief of Defence Staff Walter Natynczyk and Defence Minister Peter MacKay as the caskets of the most recent Canadian soldiers to die in Afghanistan arrived at CFB Trenton, CBC News Online reports. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

# Canada

**"I'm tremendously disappointed, (but) life goes on."**

Jeremy Hinzman, U.S. army deserter, after receiving a deportation order from the Canada Border Services Agency.

## Deported

American war resister Jeremy Hinzman, left, has been ordered out of the country after a four-year legal battle to earn a home in Canada.

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# Three aid workers killed in Afghanistan

Two Canadians among dead after insurgent attack

**Suspected Taliban insurgents killed three female aid workers and their Afghan driver in an ambush yesterday, officials said, the bloodiest single attack on foreign humanitarian workers in Afghanistan in recent years.**

Montreal's Jacqueline Kirk, 40, a Canadian-British citizen, Shirley Case, 30, of Williams Lake, B.C., and Trinidadian-American Nicole Dial, 30, died in the ambush.

The three women worked for the U.S.-based International Rescue Com-

### Activities suspended

• The International Rescue Committee was founded in 1933, following Albert Einstein's suggestion to assist Germans suffering under Adolf Hitler. The New York

based IRC has been working in Afghanistan for 20 years, but has suspended its humanitarian aid programs in Afghanistan indefinitely following yesterday's attack.

in the statement.

"Words are inadequate to express our sympathy for the families and loved ones of the victims and our devoted team of humanitarian aid workers in Afghanistan," he said.

Abdullah Wardak, the

governor of Logar province, said the women and their driver were chased by gunmen in a Toyota Corolla who then opened fire on their vehicle.

Afghan President Hamid Karzai described the attack as unforgiveable.

"It is not in our culture to kill women, Afghans never kill women," Karzai said in a statement.

"This unforgivable incident, without any doubt, was carried out by the enemies of Afghanistan, by non-Afghans."

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### Afghan confidence shattered: Colonel

**TALIBAN** The switch by Taliban insurgents to spectacular attacks, including the daylight murders of aid workers that left two Canadians among the dead, has shattered Afghans' confidence in the international community and the Afghan government's ability to provide basic security, says retired Col. Mike Capstick, who returned 10 days ago from Kabul where he worked with Hamid Karzai's government.

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### Lawsuits launched after blast

**TORONTO** Desperate for re-

solve after an explosion at a propane facility shattered their lives this week-

**"My parents have not been let back into their house and I don't think they ever will."**

John Santoro

end, some Toronto residents are seeking more than \$900 million in class action lawsuits against Sunrise Propane and government bodies they feel allowed the company to operate in their neighbourhood.

At least four class action lawsuits were filed in court yesterday. Some name Sunrise Propane Industrial Gases and other companies listed as operating on the Murray Rd. site. Others include the city of Toronto, the province of Ontario and the Technical Standards and Safety Authority.

The lawsuits came the

same day the TSSA said Sunrise Propane was issued "cease and desist" orders for technical violations in 2006 — one for a hose hanging from a truck, another related to a tank-to-tank propane transfer.

"My parents have not been let back into their house and I don't think they ever will," said John Santoro, 44, a representative plaintiff in an estimated \$300 million class action suit against Sunrise.

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### News in brief

**POLITICS** The Conservative campaign during the last election urged the party's media buyer not to go to Elections Canada with concerns about the party's advertising spending, a Commons committee heard yesterday. The ethics commit-

tee is probing allegations the Conservative party broke Elections Canada rules by passing national advertising expenses through local campaigns and then collecting \$1.1 million in tax rebates even though the money was never spent locally.

**HEALTH** Federal, provincial and territorial health ministries announced this week they are funding \$35 million over five years to create a national organ system run by the body overseeing the blood supply. Canadian Blood Services is ex-

pecting its mandate into organ and tissue donation and transplantation by merging with the Canadian Council for Donation and Transplantation. In Canada last year there were 4,195 people waiting for transplants.

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### Cannonball Splash in 3...2...1...



Doug Bergmann of Edmonton competes in the National Cannonball Championship in Toronto yesterday. Bergmann went on to win the competition.

### Smog-related deaths to rise: Report

#### POLLUTION

Smog-related deaths are set to soar to more than 700,000 in Canada over the next two decades, the Canadian Medical Association said yesterday.

Long- and short-term exposure to air pollution will kill at least 21,000 Canadians this year, the CMA said

#### costly

• The CMA estimates the costs of health care and lost productivity from air pollution will top \$8 billion in 2008.

in landmark study into health costs of poor air quality.

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Italian animal rights campaigners are urging Pope Benedict XVI, left, to stop wearing ermine on his hats and robes, appealing to his reputation as a cat lover. They have begun an online petition currently signed by nearly 1,900 people.

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Papal appeal

# World/Business

## U.S. sends Georgia aid

**U.S. military planes began delivering aid to Georgia as Washington stepped up support for a shaky ceasefire with Russian troops around the breakaway region of South Ossetia.**

U.S. Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice was set to arrive in Tbilisi today after talks in Paris. Rice's trip comes six days into a conflict that has shifted from artillery, tank and gun battles at the weekend to increasingly sharp diplomatic and political exchanges

### Counter-offensive

- The conflict began last Thursday, when Georgia attempted to recapture the pro-Russian rebel province of South Ossetia. Moscow's surprise counter-offensive overwhelmed the Georgian forces.

out of Washington, Moscow and Tbilisi.

U.S. President George W. Bush, flanked by Rice and Defence Secretary Robert

Gates in the Rose Garden, demanded Moscow end the crisis, abide by an agreed ceasefire and withdraw Russian troops sent into Georgia after fighting began last Thursday.

Moscow has denied violating a ceasefire and rejected claims its troops and armour had advanced on Tbilisi or looted the key town of Gori, 60km west of the capital and just south across the Kura river from South Ossetia's capital Tskhinvali.

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### Cuba 82 years for Fidel



Children hold onto a knife to cut a birthday cake for retired Cuban leader Fidel Castro at the Pioneer's Palace yesterday in Havana. Former Cuban leader Fidel Castro turned 82 yesterday, still a world and national figure even though he has not been seen in public since falling ill two years ago.

**Lebanon bomb kills 15 in attack on army**

**BLAST** At least 15 people including nine soldiers were killed in Lebanon yesterday, according to security sources, in the deadliest attack on the army since a battle with al-Qaida-inspired militants last year.

An army statement described the attack in the northern city of Tripoli as a "terrorist bombing" — a phrase used in the past by the military when it suspects militant Islamist involvement.

Security sources had earlier put the death toll at 18.

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### Talking

- The presidents of Syria and Lebanon agreed yesterday to establish diplomatic relations between their countries at an ambassadorial level, a Syrian official said.

### News in brief

**SHOOTING** The chairman of the Arkansas Democratic Party, Bill Gwatney, died in a hospital after being shot by a lone gunman at the U.S. party's

headquarters in Little Rock, officials said yesterday. His unidentified killer also died after a high-speed chase and exchange of gunfire with police.

REUTERS

## Business

### U.S. users raising issues on iPhone reception

**TELECOMS** The usually polished Apple is now facing questions over the performance of its heralded iPhone 3G — namely reception quality on high-speed third-generation, or "3G," networks.

The complaints have mainly been limited to U.S. Internet blogs and chat rooms, where some users have written about dropped calls and spotty reception while using

AT&T Inc.'s 3G network. Rogers Communications Inc. has not received any complaints about iPhone's reception from Canadian users, said a spokesperson.

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### In brief

**FEWER DRIVING** Americans scaled back their driving during June by almost 5 per cent in response to soaring fuel costs, the U.S. government said yesterday — a day after announcing the biggest six-month drop in U.S. petroleum demand in 26 years.

**BIOVAIL LOSS** The cost of shutting down manufacturing and research plants pushed drugmaker Biovail Corp. into a quarterly loss, but the company said yesterday that won't stop its hunt for acquisitions.

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# Sports

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## LPGA stars arrive in Ottawa

Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club hosting Canadian Women's Open

**When the stars of the LPGA Tour take to the course for today's opening round, waiting to challenge them will be a championship-tested layout at the Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club.**

Following their appearance in yesterday's Championship Pro-Am, LPGA Tour stars Paula Creamer, Dawn Coe-Jones, Annika Sorenstam and defending champion Lorena Ochoa spoke about the venerable Ottawa Hunt layout as they prepare to challenge for the \$2.25 million CN Canadian Women's Open.

"The golf course, the setup of it is, it feels like a major," Creamer told the RCGA. "The fans, it's a great venue. It's run really well. To come to an event where there are so many people and so many

volunteers and the field, you know, you have everybody who is anybody at this event. That's what you want. You want the best players at a tournament."

"I'm impressed. For sure congratulations to everyone in here working hard," said Ochoa. "This is a beautiful course. I can say so far it's my favourite place on tour. I love that it's old and it's very traditional."

This year's event will mark the end of an era, as both Annika Sorenstam and Canadian Dawn Coe-Jones will be playing in their final Canadian LPGA Tour event.

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Mexico's Lorena Ochoa hits out of the rough on the third hole during the Pro-Am round at the Canadian Women's Open golf tournament at the Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club yesterday.

The Detroit Tigers placed relief pitcher Joel Zumaya on the 15-day disabled list yesterday with a sore right shoulder. On the season, the 23-year-old is 0-2 with a 3.47 earned run average in 21 contests.. METRO NEWS SERVICES

### Cavs acquire guard Williams

The Cleveland Cavaliers picked up point guard Mo Williams, left, yesterday in a three-team trade with the Milwaukee Bucks and Oklahoma City. The Cavs parted ways with guard Damon Jones and forward Joe Smith. Jones will land in Milwaukee, along with former Oklahoma City point guard Luke Ridnour and swingman Adrian Griffin. Oklahoma City will receive Smith and Bucks forward Desmond Mason. METRO NEWS SERVICES

### Sports in brief

**BASEBALL** The Ottawa Rapidz were visiting the Sussex Skyhawks for the second night in a row last night looking to even up the series. The Skyhawks scored early in the game and never looked back, cruising to an 8-5 victory.

**MLB** The Red Sox placed third baseman Mike Lowell on the 15-day disabled list with a strained right oblique muscle yesterday, one day after Lowell left in the seventh inning.

of Boston's wild 19-17 win over the Texas Rangers.

**NFL** The Denver Broncos signed defensive back Tyrone Poole yesterday. Per team policy, terms of the deal were not released. Poole spent the 2006 season with the Oakland Raiders and appeared in 12 games during which he amassed 15 tackles and one interception. He did not play in the NFL during the 2007 season. METRO NEWS SERVICES

### SCOREBOARD

#### MLB

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Seattle at L.A. Angels

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Pittsburgh 5 Cincinnati 2

Chicago Cubs 8 Atlanta 0 (2nd gm)

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#### CFL

##### WEEK 8

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#### BASEBALL

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## Field hockey

Canada lost 3-1 to Pakistan in men's field hockey yesterday in Beijing to fall to 0-2 in group B preliminary play. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

# Beijing Games

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## Lack of funds hamstring Canada

Are our athletes cursed or is cash shortage to blame for medal drought?

### York Report

**Marty York**

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The entire Canadian team, it seems, will collect fewer medals at the Beijing Olympics than U.S. swimmer **Michael Phelps**.

And this, I suggest, sucks. Our athletes are emulating our dollar, falling shamefully below the Americans.

Even **Mike Brown** of Perth, Ont., came oh-so-close to a medal early this morning in the men's 200-metre breaststroke, but is also without any hardware. He was fourth.

Perhaps these are pleasant days for manufacturers of anti-depressants in this country, but I can't think of any other Canadians who

could possibly be enjoying what's been happening to our representatives in Beijing.

**Brent Hayden** was supposed to be a savior of sorts, right? A world-class swimmer from B.C. who tied for gold in the 100-metre freestyle at last year's world aquatic championship, Hayden gave us hope, especially in his commercials. But he didn't even earn the chance to swim for a medal after fizzling in the semifinal. He also was

part of the Canadian men's 4x200-metre relay swim team, which finished a disappointing fifth.

Hayden has assured us in interviews that he'll get over his disappointment. But will we?

What if all 300-plus Canadian Olympians follow Hayden's strokes and come up short in China?

I mean, this is like a bad nightmare. Or a swift kick to the testicles.

Even if you don't have any.

Just ask Canadian fencer **Sherraine Schalm**, who entered the Olympics ranked fifth in her sport but who was subdued by Hungary's **Ildiko Mincza-Nebald**.

"It's like I imagine being a man, it's like being kicked in the nuts repeatedly," Schalm lamented after her loss. "You feel like you want to curl up and die."

Who's cursed Canada?

Our field hockey team was ahead of Pakistan 1-0 before losing 3-1. And then Canadian player **Ravi Kahlon** got the horrifying news that his 39-year-old uncle died in a car accident in India.

Divers **Alexandre Despatie** and **Arturo Miranda**, who finished second at the world championships last year, placed fifth in the men's three-metre synchronized diving event.

And on and on it goes for

Canada.

How come?

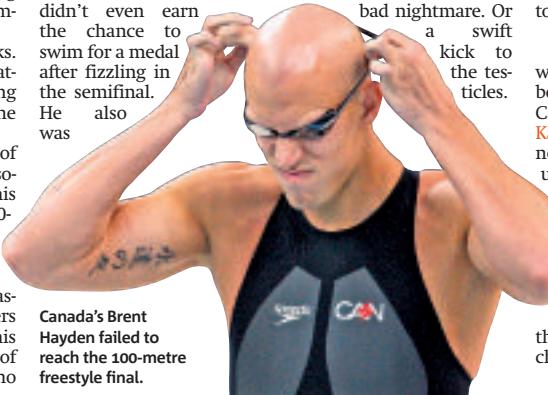
Well, a shortage of funds is the predominant feeling among Canada's athletes.

"It takes money to create opportunities, and more and more countries are streamlining funds to where the medals are," said **Anna Rice**, a Canadian badminton player whose stint in Beijing was short and not-so-sweet. "I think that's sad."

It is, especially for Canadian women, who don't receive as much financial support as their male counterparts. That's an issue on which I'll elaborate in a York Report in the near future.

In the meantime, for whatever reasons, our Olympians stink. Worse than China's air. And that's awfully bad.

Marty York has been a groundbreaking sports columnist and broadcaster in Canada for decades.



Canada's Brent Hayden failed to reach the 100-metre freestyle final.

## Gasol says sorry for photos

**BASKETBALL** Spain star Pau Gasol apologized on behalf of his team yesterday after widespread criticism of slited-eye gestures by the world champions

at the Beijing Games. Published pictures show the Spanish team standing on a basketball court. All the players

ers are pulling the skin back at the side of their eyes.

"To me it was little clownish for our part to be doing that. The sponsor (Seur, a Spanish courier company) insisted and insisted. They pushed because they're the people that pay the money. It was just a bad idea to do that. It was never intended to be offensive or racist against anybody," the New York Times quoted him as saying on its website.

"If anyone feels offended by it, we totally apologize for it."

REUTERS

at the Beijing Games.

## Brown can't break goose egg

**Swimmer Mike Brown** had held out the tantalizing hope of a medal to finally dent the goose egg put up by Canada at the Beijing Olympics.

The pride of Perth, Ont., looked in a perfect position to become the pride of Canada, too.

Brown looked so good in the semifinal a day earlier when he was the second-fastest qualifier with a time of 2:08.84 — one second faster than the Canadian record he'd set in the opening heat. Only three swimmers in history had ever gone faster.

The 24-year-old looked like a different swimmer in that race, showing a lot of power in every stroke as he ate up a lot of ground in the pool. The question was, did he shoot his best bullet before the final?

Hard to know for sure, this we do know: Brown just didn't have enough to get on the podium. He fell just 9/100ths of a second short in the men's 200-metre breaststroke final won for a second straight time by Kosuke Kitajima of Japan.

Brown was fourth at



Mike Brown of Perth, Ont., reacts after the 200-metre breaststroke final early this morning in Beijing. He finished in fourth place, just 9/100ths off of the bronze medal.

every split in the race and, in the end, that's exactly where he ended up. Another fourth-place finish, seemingly the bane of France out-touched Brown at the wall to take the bronze in 2:08.94. Brown was fourth in 2:09.03.

Also in the pool today:

• Erica Morningstar of off his own world record. Brenton Rickard of Australia took the silver in 2:08.88, while Hugues Duboscq of France out-touched Brown at the wall to take the bronze in 2:08.94. Brown was fourth in 2:09.03.

• Keith Beavers, of Orangeville, Ont., finished seventh in the men's 200-metre backstroke semifinal, failing to qualify for the final. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

### Rowing teams qualify for finals

**ROWING** Canada's David Calder and Scott Frandsen advanced to the men's pairs final after an impressive semifinal victory yesterday in Beijing.

Calder, a Victoria native, and Frandsen, who hails from Kelowna, B.C., will go for gold on Saturday.

The women's eight rowing crew also earned a berth in the final with a first place finish in their repechage race yesterday. Their final is scheduled for Sunday.

### Thorman powers Canada past China

**BASEBALL** Scott Thorman of Cambridge, Ont., homered and drove in three runs to lift Canada past China 10-0 in their opening game of the preliminary round of Olympic men's baseball action yesterday in Beijing.

Solid pitching gave Canada a huge advantage as Uxbridge, Ont., native, Chris Begg struck out nine batters and gave up only six hits over 6 2/3 innings of work.

### Federer scores revenge victory

**TENNIS** Roger Federer erased the bitter memory of his loss to Tomas Berdych at the Athens Olympics four years ago when he beat the Czech 6-3, 7-6 yesterday to reach the quarter-finals of the men's singles.

The Swiss top seed joined No. 2 Rafael Nadal of Spain and No. 3 Novak Djokovic of Serbia in the last eight after they cruised through earlier in the day.

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### Medal count

Rank	Nation	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
#1	U.S.	10	8	11	29
#2	China	17	5	5	27
#3	South Korea	6	6	1	13
#4	Australia	4	2	6	12
#5	Russia	2	7	3	12
#6	Italy	4	4	3	11
#7	France	1	7	3	11
#8	Germany	6	1	2	9
#9	Japan	4	2	3	9
#10	Britain	2	2	3	7
#11	North Korea	1	2	4	7
#12	Netherlands	1	1	3	5
#13	Romania	1	1	2	4
#14	Switzerland	1	0	3	4
#15	Ukraine	0	0	4	4
	Canada	0	0	0	0

(Count at the end of Day 5)

The husks should be moist and tightly wrapped. The tuft of silk at the top should be moist and dark in colour (a sign of ripeness). Feel the kernels through the husks for fullness and always buy a few extra ears. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Tell-tale signs

# Food

**"Resist the urge to strip back the husks for a peek. The husk is a natural wrapper, keeping it moist and fresh."**

Barb Holland/Metro Canada



**Fresh, fast**

Try to buy corn as close to the field where it was picked and cook it as soon as you can.

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**À la carte**

**Barb Holland**

Metro Food Writer

Does any vegetable say summer like corn on the cob? There are many ways to cook fresh corn. My preference is in the husk right on the barbecue, cooked until the husks are lightly charred and the kernels tender.

Should you have any corn leftover, try it in this recipe — ideal with grilled ribs.

#### Corn and Cheese Pudding

This is a good side dish for grilled ribs, chicken or pork. Kick it up with a few dashes of hot pepper sauce. Makes 4 servings.

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 1/2 red pepper, diced
- 2 green onions, sliced



- 2 tsp (10 mL) butter or vegetable oil
- 1/4 cup (60 mL) cornmeal
- 1/2 tsp (2 mL) salt
- pinch pepper
- 1 cup (250 mL) milk
- 1 cup (250 mL) cooked corn kernels
- 1/2 cup (125 mL) shredded aged Cheddar cheese
- 1 egg, lightly beaten
- Few dashes hot pepper sauce, if desired

#### METHOD:

In a microwaveable bowl, combine red pepper,

## Summer corn stars in creamy sidedish



Shredded cheese and cooked corn are the primary players in this savoury pudding — a great accompanying dish for juicy, grilled ribs, chicken or pork.

green onion, butter or oil and microwave 2 to 4 minutes at High, or until softened.

In a 4 cup (1 L) round microwaveable bowl, whisk together cornmeal, salt,

pepper and milk. Microwave, uncovered at High for 3 to 5 minutes or until mixture comes to a boil and thickens. Stir partway through cooking. Stir corn and cheese into cornmeal mixture until smooth. Stir in egg, red pepper mixture and hot sauce.

Microwave, uncovered at Medium (50%) for 4 to 6 minutes or until mixture is firm. Stir gently partway through cooking. Let stand about 5 minutes before serving.

#### Tips:

• Storage: The sugar in corn starts to turn into starch the moment it is picked. If you must keep it, wrap in a plastic bag and refrigerate. Use within 2 days.

• Did you know? The average yield from a stalk of corn is usually 2, some-



times 3 cobs. An ear of corn averages 800 kernels in 16 rows.

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New bosses may soon join Yahoo

Yahoo Inc. is in the process of approving the appointments of former Viacom Inc. CEO Frank Biondi and former Nextel Partners CEO John Chapple to its board and is expected to name the appointees by tomorrow, a person familiar with the matter has said. **REUTERS**

# Tech Now



## Refuted

There's no evidence that greater access to computers ... has a positive correlation to academic achievement, a study suggests.

UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH

## Do computers help or hinder pupils?

Over the next couple of weeks, students will be heading back to school. Be it university or grade school, computers will be everywhere. However there's still a debate over whether tech helps or hurts students.

A Munich University study four years ago is quoted as perhaps the most definitive examination of the issue. It concludes that while moderate computer use has a beneficial effect, heavy computer use has no significant benefit and excessive use has a negative impact.

There is agreement that young people need to learn technology, but questions remain about how much

TechNow

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needs to be taught at school, and how much young people will pick up simply by living a life surrounded by technology.

Younger students seem to expect technology in the class. A computer to them is what paper and pen were to an earlier generation. SMART Technologies makes an interactive, electronic white board and schools have been a huge market for them, with studies showing tech better engages both students



Nowadays, younger students may expect technology in a classroom, as it's like having paper and pen to them.

and teachers in the learning process.

Clickers are the latest rage in schools. The handheld device allows each student to electronically

answer multiple-choice questions. A recent university study in B.C. shows that clickers encourage student debate and involvement, especially in

large classes.

Apple conducted a 10-year study and found students learned better and faster while teachers said they feel more like guides, where the technology allows a new age of learning that's more student directed.

But a University of London study notes constant interruption by e-mails, phones, pagers and other devices causes the equivalent of a 10-point drop in IQ.

Heather Menzies at Carleton University has written several books on this subject and says she's most concerned about very young children who are swept up in the techno age and expect everything to happen at the speed of light, and not the real

speed of human learning.

If technology is a key tool for students, then the challenge for teachers is to educate themselves so they can properly teach with tech. And parents should seize the opportunity to talk to their children about how technology is used at school.

**PAUL'S WEBSITE OF THE WEEK:** [www.1up.com](http://www.1up.com)

This is a video gaming website which outlines the Top 101 free online video games. Under "PC Features" scroll down to "101 Games for 2008."

• This Sunday on TECH NOW, I interview the new head of Facebook Canada about where the popular social site is headed.

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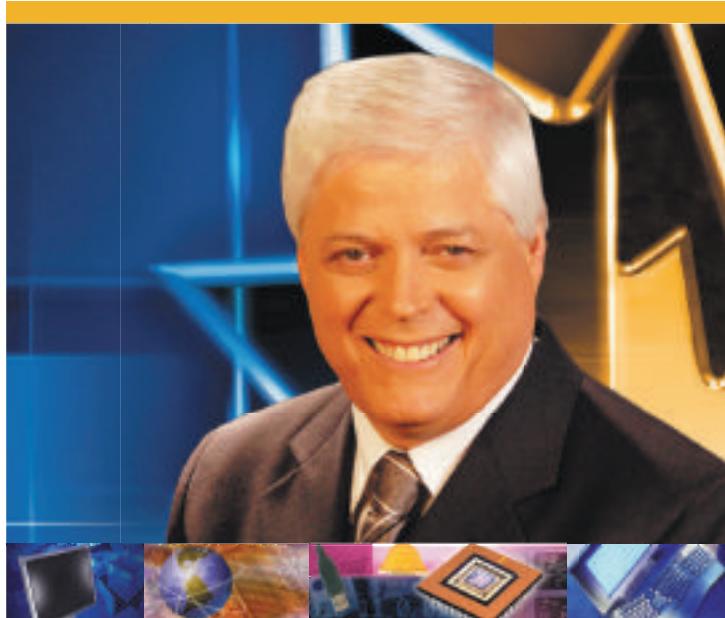
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# Folk Festival



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Canadian band Broken Social Scene are set to take the stage at the 15th annual Ottawa Folk Festival.

## Expect the unexpected when BSS goes on stage

KATE CHAPPELL  
for Metro Ottawa



**When Broken Social Scene takes the stage, it is always a little bit of a mystery who will show up.**

For their performance at the 15th annual Ottawa Folk Festival, Brendan Canning is one member who is certain to take the stage.

Canning, who has just released a new album (*Something for All of Us*), spoke to Metro Ottawa from his Toronto home about the upcoming show. This will be BSS's second time performing at the festival.

"I just like playing in Ottawa because we've always had a good showing there," he says.

And while it is nominally a folk festival, Canning wouldn't necessarily pin down the music style with one label, but he might slot BSS's music into the blues category. BSS has about 20 members, most of whom are also solo performers, including Feist.

In terms of taking the solo route for his latest album, Canning says the process wasn't even really a one-man effort. "It still involved a lot of the BSS crew (Kevin Drew, James Shaw, members of Metric, to

name a few). It's not necessarily so much solo work, but I was left more to my own devices."

Not only was the recording process a collaborative effort, but so are the styles that influence Canning. "My influences are ever-changing," he says, listing pop, rock, jazz, blues, reggae, hip-hop, African and Latin, among others.

Recording this album was "sort of messy, but I really just wanted to start an idea and see where it goes."

But there is another layer to the album and its title, *Something for All of Us*. Canning says it is also a commentary on the cur-

rent political atmosphere, which is arguably one of pandering and reductionism and blind optimism.

"It is definitely an idyllic way of thinking," he says.

Canning's life in Toronto and travelling by bicycle across the city also created this mindset. "I see the divide of people, and the divide of what people have in different neighbourhoods from an outsider's perspective."

As far as who will show up for BSS's performance, Canning was still unsure at the time of the interview. "I'm not totally sure. We might have a few extra people come," he says.

## Fold your way to Folk Festival fun

KATE CHAPPELL  
for Metro Ottawa



**"The folk community is so warm and inviting as soon as you get there. People don't think you're weird for starting a conversation with whoever is beside you."**

Ana Miura

When Ana Miura is not performing at this year's Ottawa Folk Festival, she will be furiously folding paper as part of an effort to create 1,000 origami paper cranes.

The Ottawa-based artist, who is half Japanese, will be participating in this effort, which is aimed at highlighting the 80th anniversary of diplomatic relations between Canada and Japan.

"If anybody wants to help, they can stop by," she says, explaining that the 1,000 paper cranes are part of a traditional Japanese fable of hope.

Miura takes the main stage on Friday at 6:05 p.m. and is looking forward to it.

"The Folk Festival is awesome. The folk community is so warm and inviting as soon as you get there. People don't think you're weird for starting a conversation with whoever is beside you," Miura says.

This isn't Miura's first time performing at the festival. She has opened for Sarah Harmer, and also participated in a collaborative song circle. And while the Folk Festival's lineup sometimes attracts controversy as to the legitimacy of how folksy the music actually is, Miura unequivocally

cally places herself in this camp.

"I would definitely say I'm in the folk crowd. My music is less traditional with folk flavours to it, with more of a mix of jazz and pop elements."

This year, in addition to performing on the main stage, Miura will be in two song circles with My Chemistry Experiment and Sarah Harmer.

Miura is an Ottawa favourite, but she has been performing all over the world as of late. She just returned from a tour of the East Coast and a songwriting circle in Stouffville, Ont., and prior to that was on a tour of Central America (Honduras, Nicaragua and Costa Rica).

For this upcoming performance, Miura will have some new material to draw from, as she released an EP of six songs in July.

### Folk Facts

- Festival passes range in price depending on age and length of attendance and are available from Capital Tickets ([www.capitaltickets.ca](http://www.capitaltickets.ca), 613 599-3267, toll-free 877-788-3267 and all Sports Experts outlets), and at the following locations:
- The Ottawa Folklore Centre – 1111 Bank at Sunnyside, 613-730-2887
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#### THURSDAY, AUG. 14 EVENING SCHEDULE

##### MAIN STAGE

6:05 Colores Andinos  
(CBC Radio recording session)  
7:15 The Experimental Farmers  
8:00 Intermission + Yoga Break  
8:15 Finest Kind  
9:00 Don Ross & Andy McKee  
(CBC Radio recording session)  
10:00 Vieux Farka Toure  
(CBC Radio recording session)

##### OTTAWA FOLK FESTIVAL DANCE TENT

6:30 The Carolina Chocolate Drops  
8:00 D.Rangers  
9:30 Brisa Latina

#### FRIDAY, AUG. 15 EVENING SCHEDULE

##### MAIN STAGE

6:05 Ana Miura  
7:00 Bryan Bowers  
7:45 Intermission & Yoga Break  
8:00 Jerry Douglas and His Band  
9:00 Dala  
9:45 Broken Social Scene

##### OTTAWA FOLK FESTIVAL DANCE TENT

5:30 Gentricorum, Benoit Bourque  
7:00 Spiral Beach  
8:30 Donna the Buffalo  
10:00 Big Bad Bluegrass Jam featuring Jerry Douglas, D.Rangers, Dan Whiteley, Chris Barkley, and The Experimental Farmers

##### BOWIE ELECTRICAL HALL STAGE

5:30 "Good Vibrations" — Catherine MacLellan, The Healing Divas, Radoslav Lorkovic (host)  
7:00 Claire Jenkins Avec Band "Doc's Pick" — The Carolina Chocolate Drops, Jaxon Haldane, Anne Davison, Timothy Mason, Doc (host)  
8:30 The Carolina Chocolate Drops

#### SATURDAY, AUG. 16 EVENING SCHEDULE

##### MAIN STAGE

6:05 Genticorum  
7:00 Country Joe McDonald  
8:00 Intermission & Yoga Break  
8:15 Roxanne Potvin  
9:15 Colin Linden  
10:15 Sarah Harmer

##### OTTAWA FOLK FESTIVAL DANCE TENT

5:30 D.Rangers  
7:00 Wii  
8:30 Ball and Chain and The Wreckers  
10:00 The Sadies

##### BOWIE ELECTRICAL HALL STAGE

5:30 TO 8:30 Mountain Stage NewSong to Contest: Canadian Finals (presented by the North American Folk Alliance)  
8:45 Tao Rodriguez-Seeger  
10:00 Village Harmony

#### SUNDAY, AUG. 17 EVENING SCHEDULE

##### MAIN STAGE

5:10 The Duhks  
6:05 Cross-Cultural Music & Dance Collaboration 2008  
7:05 Volunteer Recognition Awards, Helen Verger Award  
7:15 James Hill & Anne Davison  
8:00 Andy Rush & The Terry Penner Festival Choir with special guests Village Harmony  
8:15 Intermission + Yoga Break + Festival Raffle  
8:30 Odetta (CBC Radio recording session)  
9:30 Rufus Wainwright

##### OTTAWA FOLK FESTIVAL DANCE TENT

5:30 Spiral Beach  
7:00 The Duhks  
9:00 Big Bad Blues Jam with Roxanne Potvin, Michael Jerome Browne, Radoslav Lorkovic

##### BOWIE ELECTRICAL HALL STAGE

5:15 Country Joe McDonald  
6:15 Catherine MacLellan  
First Annual Ottawa Folk Festival "Kirtan" (Participatory singing hosted by Santosa Yoga)  
8:30 Dirk Powell, Riley Baugus and Friends  
10:00 Genticorum

#### SATURDAY, AUG. 16 DAYTIME SCHEDULE

##### OTTAWA FOLK DANCE TENT

11:00 The Experimental Farmers  
12:15 The Carolina Chocolate Drops  
1:30 Donna the Buffalo  
2:45 MyChemistry Experiment: Mason, members of Broken Social Scene, Miura, Brugger (host)  
4:00 Johnson & Grouyan Gombo with Browne, Benjamin, Ball, Gick (Cajun Dance)

##### BOWIE ELECTRICAL HALL STAGE

11:00 Double Bill: MacLellan, Cox  
12:15 Hop the Fence: Velan (New Song label), Spiral Beach, Jenkins (duo), Brugger (host)  
1:30 Terry Penner Festival Choir: Rehearsal #1 — Everyone welcome  
2:45 Six String Nation: Guitar: Posen, MacLellan, Cotton (Jenkins), Taylor (host)  
4:00 Double Bill: The Healing Divas, Raymundo & Balam

##### METRO BEACH STAGE

11:00 Village Harmony  
12:15 Full Moon, Rising Stars: Farr, Mélisande, Raymundo & Balam, Parisien (host)  
1:30 Cheesy Songs We Love — Spiral Beach, Finest Kind, Jenkins Avec Band (host)  
2:45 Unaccompanied Ballad Singing: Baugus, Finest Kind, Power (host)  
4:00 Nos racines musicales: Andrée & Ducharme, Mélisande, Raymundo & Balam (host)

##### ARTISAN VILLAGE

11:30 Work with Wood — Solar Woodcuts (Tremback)  
12:30 Wear Your Message — Global Aware (King)  
1:30 Health Products for Skin — Ufabu (D. Passmore)  
2:30 The Lo-Down on Chair-Making — Lo-Chair (Lo)  
3:30 "Work with Glass" — Miller's Glass Reflections (Miller)  
4:30 Re-working Jewellery for Metal Allergies — Creations of the Heart (Haris)

##### HILL STAGE

11:00 Story Songs: Johnson, Bowers (host)  
12:15 Words and/or Music: Feuerstack & Johnstone, Curanca (host)  
1:30 Hand Me Down: Rodriguez-Seeger, Grosbois-Garand (Genticorum), Browne (host)  
2:45 Humm'n': Dala, Bowers, Cox, Bird (host)  
4:00 Songcircle: Volante and you

##### ROGERS TREE STAGE

11:00 A Touch of Jazz: Lorkovic, Feuerstack & Johnstone, Curanca (host)  
12:15 Behind the Scenes: D. Good and T. Good (The Sadies), members of Broken Social Scene  
1:30 Sources of Inspiration: Johnson, Curanca, Davison (host)  
2:45 Global Voices: Village Harmony, Rodriguez-Seeger (host)  
4:00 08 Cross-Cultural Artist Collaboration: Concert #1

##### OFC POINT STAGE

11:00 Rise Up Singing: McGregor and you  
12:15 Banjo Banjo: Powell, Baugus, Puryear & Nevin (Donna the Buffalo), Downey (host)  
1:30 Remembering Willie P.: Haldane, D.Rangers, D. Good, T. Good and more — McKinnon (host)  
2:45 Musical Connections: Andréa & Ducharme, Doane, The Healing Divas (host)  
4:00 08 Cross-Cultural Artist Collaboration: Concert #1

##### KID ZONE

See Separate "KID ZONE" schedule at Info Booth & Kid Zone  
**ALL DAY**  
Kimono-making for kids, courtesy of the Canadian Children's Museum  
Drum making for kids  
Visits by musicians, jugglers, environmentalists, dancers & storytellers. Craft workshops for kids  
1:30 Roda de Samba — Fun with Brazilian Samba  
4:00 12:15 TO 2:45 Yoga for Families

##### CUPE ENVIRO TENT

12:00 Greening the Home — Twomey, Arbour Environmental Shoppe  
1:00 Honey, Health & the Environment — Leaf Belhaar-Spruyt, Berg en Dal Honey Farms  
2:00 Food, Farmer & Climate Chaos — Green & Mohan, USC Canada  
3:00 Muscle-Testing Techniques — Willow, ND, Carp Ridge EcoWellness Centre  
4:00 The E-Bike: A Power-Assisted Electric Bike — Jonah, Jademark

##### OTHER ACTIVITIES

**ALL DAY**  
Six String Nation: Guitar in the Dance Tent  
**10:00 CIC Community Cup Celebrity Soccer Match** (in field behind Dance Tent)  
**12:00 TO 4:00**  
"1,000 Cranes" — Origami for Everyone (Dance Tent)  
**12:15** 15-minute Yoga Tasters — Hatha, Vinyasa Flow, Yin and Final Relaxation  
**12:00 TO 5:00** Uke Building for Kids

#### SUNDAY, AUG. 17 DAYTIME SCHEDULE

##### OTTAWA FOLK DANCE TENT

10:30 3rd Annual Musical Brunch featuring Johnson and Grouyan Gombo. Tickets \$15 adv. at Info Booth, or \$20 at brunch.  
12:15 The Story of Samba: Roda da Samba  
1:30 Donna the Buffalo  
2:45 Latin Breeze, Cermeño (host)  
4:00 On the Edge: D.Rangers, Wil, Lonesome Paul (Experimental Farmers) host

##### BOWIE ELECTRICAL HALL STAGE

11:00 Terry Penner Festival Choir: Rehearsal #2 — Everyone welcome  
12:15 Claire Jenkins Avec Band  
1:30 Wil  
2:45 Instrumentalism: Cox, Farr, Goss (D.Rangers), Baugus (host)  
4:00 Terry Penner Festival Choir: Rehearsal #3 — Everyone welcome

##### METRO BEACH STAGE

11:00 Ukulele Jam: Hill, Doane and you  
12:15 Uncommon Ground: Powell & Baugus, Bourque, Potvin, Eagan (host)  
1:30 Old Blues: Browne, Johnson, Farr, Linden (host)  
2:45 Spirit Connections: The Healing Divas, Village Harmony  
4:00 Here's to Rasputin's: Linden, MacLellan, Miles (Experimental Farmers) (host)

##### ARTISAN VILLAGE

11:30 "Wire Jewellery Techniques" — Filament (Boyd)  
12:30 "From Cutlery to Jewellery" — Bloom/Ash/Postart Gallery  
1:30 "Silver Smithing" — Zahara (Geerts)  
2:30 "Working with Stone" — Maple Leaf Studio (Webster)  
3:30 "Artisans around the World" — Ten Thousand Villages (Brown)  
4:30 "Photo Techniques for Music Events" — Canadian Bluesbook (MacNeil)

##### HILL STAGE

11:00 2008 Cross-Cultural Artist Collaboration: Concert #2  
12:15 Heaven & Earth: The Healing Divas, The Carolina Chocolate Drops (host)  
1:30 Double Bill: Dala, Lorkovic  
2:45 Blaksheep Live: Hill, Davidson, Potvin, MacLellan, Symes (host)  
4:00 Themes & Variations: Cortese, Puryear, Gemme (host)

##### ROGERS TREE STAGE

11:00 Songcircle: Volante and you  
12:15 20 Something: Spiral Beach, Dala  
1:30 Exploratorium: Mason, Genticorum, Davison (host)  
2:45 How Can I Keep from Singing?: Odetta, Rodriguez-Seeger, Finest Kind, Regenstreif (host)  
4:00 Cross-Cultural Collaboration: Concert #3

##### OFC POINT STAGE

11:00 The Art of Accompaniment: Power, Falquet, Downey, Henein (host)  
12:15 Songs with a Message: Country Joe McDonald, Finest Kind, MacGregor (host)  
1:30 Tuned In To Nature: Harmer, Haldane, Miura, McCarthy (host)  
2:45 Accordion Overload: Bourque, Lorkovic, Johnson, Nevin, Levesque (Jenkins), Powell (host)  
4:00 Ukulele 101: Doane, Hill

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Drum making for kids  
Craft workshops for kids, courtesy of the Festival artisans

##### CUPE ENVIRO TENT

11:00 "The Healing Power of Nature" — Dumont, Algonquin, Kitigan Zibi, Anishinabeg  
12:00 "Why Rivers Matter" — C. Kelly, Ottawa Riverkeeper  
1:00 "Renewable Resources" — Twomey, Arbour Environmental Shoppe  
2:00 "Practical Mud Pies: Cob for Building & Art Projects" — Thorpe & Hyde, City Repair Ottawa  
4:00 "The Soul of Sustainability" — Hatha, Vinyasa Flow, Yin and Final Relaxation

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Language Village get a Language Passport and learn a few words in up to 10 languages  
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Danish supermodel Helena Christensen, who likes to spend time behind and in front of the camera, says she has been asked by Swedish fashion firm Odd Molly to be the photographer for its next campaign. **REUTERS**

# Style



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## Style File

**Kim Elbo**



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### ask kim

I'm a young entrepreneur looking to get into shoe design and I was wondering if you could point me in the right direction. Do you know who I could get in touch with to get my shoes manufactured and then to market?

- Nicki, Brampton, Ont.

A good place to start would be to check out [www.apparel.ca](http://www.apparel.ca), they have a list of manufacturers you can contact but you'll have to sign up before you can search around their site. E-mail your style questions to [kim.elbo@metronews.ca](mailto:kim.elbo@metronews.ca).

Vancouver's Kim Elbo has a passion for fashion. Here she shares the latest style tips.

## Wedding ensembles



## Madonna chooses Givenchy

Madonna has chosen French Haute Couture house Givenchy to design clothing for her new Sticky and Sweet world tour which starts in Britain this month, the fashion firm said yesterday. Two outfits from Givenchy Haute Couture by designer Riccardo Tisci have been created for the "queen of pop." Givenchy described the first as a reference to "Gangster Pimp" and "Art Deco" and the second as a "Gypsy inspiration." **REUTERS**

### the dress

Wondering what to wear to a summer wedding? We all want to look our best but remember outshining the newlyweds is a faux pas so steer clear of anything way above the knee and anything too low cut. Look for dresses that are simple and that have a classic silhouette to them. August is the perfect time to shop as stores are getting rid of their spring and summer stock so hit the sales and grab your size before you hit the celebration.

### accessory

Buy the bride-to-be a wedding present her husband will never forget. Agent Provocateur Bridal Set \$215 available at Agent Provocateur, [agentprovocateur.com](http://agentprovocateur.com)

### the bag

Bring the right bag to the reception. Big overbearing bags are just too much to tote around to an event that'll have you travelling around — think church to hotel reception or lobby bar to dining table. So instead of the typical big boho bag, look for something that's a little bit smaller.

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### critics' corner

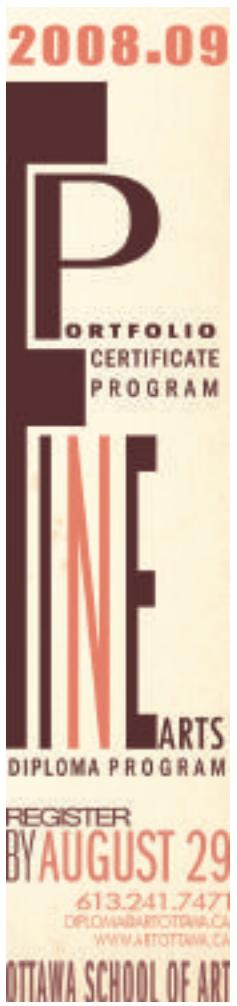
#### Private Practice

Aw, ain't lust grand? Addison (Kate Walsh) can't seem to stop thinking about Pete (Tim Daly), but she also can't go along with what Naomi and Violet (Audra McDonald, Amy Brenneman) are suggesting to deal with it. Maya (Sharon Kirksey) and a friend show up with a very grown-up problem. Sam (Taye Diggs) treats a woman who wants a drug to help her forget the trauma of a home invasion, and Pete treats a student athlete who refuses medication. 10 PM on 20 ABC



#### Ugly Betty

Take your complaint up with Portnoy, Betty. In "A Thousand Words by Friday," Betty (America Ferrera) is excited about an assignment to interview writer Phil Roth. Unfortunately, this guy isn't Pulitzer Prize-winning novelist Philip Roth but some dude who writes books about picking up women. Daniel (Eric Mabius) learns a shocking secret about a new lust interest (Gabrielle Union). Gene Simmons also guest stars. 8 PM on 20 ABC



**Billy Bob's new Nightmare**

Billy Bob Thornton will star as Freddy Krueger in a remake of *Nightmare On Elm Street*. [IMDB.COM](http://IMDB.COM)

**The Pack A.D.**

**Album:** Funeral Mixtape  
**Label:** Mint  
**Rating:** 

**JUST BECAUSE**  
**THE** blues rock duo section of the record store is getting overcrowded (White Stripes, Black Keys, etc...) doesn't mean one more fiery twosome can't be squeezed onto the shelf. Vancouver's Becky Black and Maya Miller, a.k.a. The Pack A.D., can't compete with The White Stripes, but there's still a lot to like about this band. Here, the group crank things up offering listeners a healthy dose of southern blues mixed with loud distorted guitars and bright vocal wails. While their axeman-ship could be better, this is still a fun record to rock



out to.

Bryan Borzykowski

**The Jonas Brothers**

**Album:** A Little Bit Longer  
**Label:** Hollywood/Universal  
**Rating:** 

**THERE'S NOTHING REALLY** wrong with kids listening to this stuff. Every generation, going back to the Ricky Nelson kids of the '50s, has had to endure this kind of corporate brain-washing. Unfortunately, a few years from now our children will be waking up feeling oily and used. And one day, they'll grow up and be forced to admit that they pressured their parents into spending hundreds of dollars on Jonas Brothers CDs, tickets and merchandise. But, hey parents, you can say "No." Eventually they'll appreciate your actions. A Little Bit Longer is exactly how long this boy band will remain in the limelight.

Graham Rockingham

**CDReviews**

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**YOU CAN TELL**   
it's the dog days of summer when the best the big labels can offer up is Girlicious,

The Backstreet Boys and the Jonas Brothers. At least the Jonas Brothers really are brothers. Who knows what Girlicious is? A girl-group cloned from a previously cloned girl group?

Sooner or later the genetic line that produces perfectly formed bare midriffs has to start deteriorating. The scary thing about this album is that it could so easily fit onto the playlists of so many radio stations. But that's another story.

Graham Rockingham

**On the web**

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- **The Green Sparrow**, Mike Green
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**Girlicious**

**Album:** Girlicious  
**Label:** Geffen/Universal  
**Rating:** 



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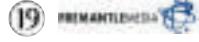
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## Celebrity Buzz

## Cruz? Beautiful?

**BEAUTY** Actress Penelope Cruz doesn't think she is beautiful. femalefirst.co.uk reports.

Cruz insists despite being one of the world's most famous sex symbols, she doesn't think she is attractive.

"I don't think I am beautiful," she says. "I can look good and I can look ugly. What's funny is that when I was younger, I wanted everyone to look at me. Now, I like to watch other people because you can learn a lot of interesting things."

Cruz, who is dating Oscar-winning actor Javier Bardem, also revealed she has no plans to marry the star.

"I don't know if I believe in marriage," she told Parade.com.

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# Kravitz has no plans to join Velvet Revolver

**MUSIC** Lenny Kravitz is still denying that he's set to join supergroup Velvet Revolver. femalefirst.co.uk reports.

The singer fuelled speculation he'll be Scott Weiland's replacement in the band after he joined Slash and his mates in the studio.

However, Kravitz won't be fronting Velvet Revolver any time soon as he tells RollingStone: "I know and love the Velvet Revolver guys, but there is no truth to the story

about me joining their band."

Kravitz isn't the only singer linked to the band — former Skid Row star Sebastian Bach and

Spacehog's Royston Langdon have also been named as possible Weiland replacements.

Weiland was reportedly kicked out of the band in April after fighting with his bandmates.

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GETTY IMAGES PHOTOS



## Low-key love for LiLo

**RELATIONSHIPS** Actress Lindsay Lohan and her close friend Samantha Ronson have vowed never to talk about their relationship, insisting it is a "private matter," imbd.com reports.

The pair has often been photographed holding hands and cuddling, leading to speculation that they are more than friends.

DJ Ronson insists the way their relationship has been documented

in the media is often incorrect, but she refuses to clear up rumours they are a couple.

"I stay away from the tabloids. I'm not going to talk about Lindsay because she's my friend,"

you know? She's great. She's also 22 years old. I think people forget that," she tells Harper's Bazaar. "With the Internet the way it is, one second we're enemies, one second we're best friends, one second we're lovers, and then we're broken up."

And Lohan has also broken her silence about her relationship with the 31-year-old — but only to insist that she will never divulge any of their secrets. Referring

to her Ronson's family, she says in an e-mail to the publication:

"I love the Ronsons. They're close to my heart and I respect all the work they do."

"Samantha and my relationship is a private matter."

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## celebrity brief

### Hathaway happy

**STATUS** Anne Hathaway says being considered a sex symbol is an "unexpected" pleasure. femalefirst.co.uk reports.

"It's unexpected that anyone could think I'm a sex symbol. I think that anybody who went to high school with me would be very surprised!" the actress said.

"I'm so happy that I'm a 25-year-old working actress and that now people are starting to say I have brains. I always thought people believed I could only do one thing."

Hathaway said she first got into acting after being encouraged to pursue her dream by her parents.

"When I was 13 I joined a local theatre group and then I started doing commercials," she says.

"Also, my parents wanted to make sure I had a love of theatre and that was invaluable."

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## Taking Tori's side

**TELEVISION** Jennie Garth is "disappointed" her former Beverly Hills, 90210 co-star Tori Spelling won't be a part of the TV show's remake, and she's upset by reports a salary feud was to blame for her pal's decision to quit, imbd.com reports.

Garth, who reprises her role as Kelly Taylor on the revamped 90210, was looking forward to working with Spelling again and was upset to hear the actress, who was set to return as Donna Martin, had quit the project.

She tells Ew.com she's disappointed by online reports Spelling dropped out of the new U.S. series after failing to land the payday.

Garth and Shannen Doherty were offered to reprise their characters from the original show.

"The press thinks we're at war over salary with Tori. I didn't know I was at war with Tori," Garth says.

"I'm really bummed because I love Tori and I was psyched Tori was going to be on the show. I think she should definitely get paid as much as either of us is getting paid. Her father created the show."



**J.J. SAID IT WOULD!**

J.J. Clarke

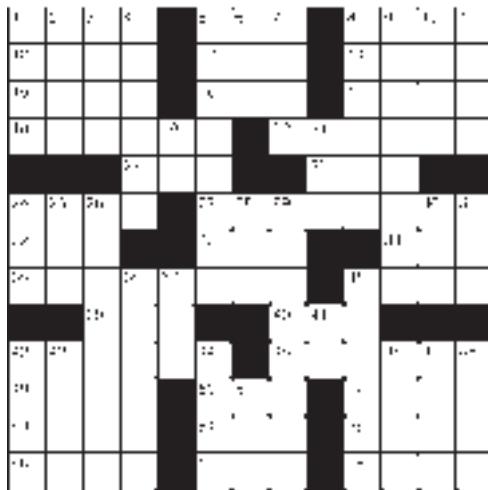
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**Beauty and the Jock**

Former model Rachel Hunter is engaged. The 38-year-old has been dating Canadian ice hockey star Jarret Stoll for two years. The couple reportedly plan to wed next year. [IMDB.COM](http://IMDB.COM)

**Take Five****Crossword down**

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2 Zits  
3 Stylish  
4 Alaskan island  
5 Napoleon's downfall  
6 McKinley's first lady  
7 Frat-party garb  
8 Atomic clock element  
9 Disembarkation site  
10 Caspian Sea feeder  
11 Catch sight of  
19 Circle ratio  
21 Scoundrel  
24 Torme or Tillis  
25 Savings-plan acronym  
26 Cell-phone alternative  
28 Schedule abbr.  
29 Full exposure

30 "Flying Down to —"  
31 St. Bernard's burden  
36 Jenny Craig patron  
37 Meadow  
38 Belt fastener  
41 Yours truly  
42 Hunger throes  
43 Medley  
44 Present time?  
46 Tense  
47 Actress Jessica  
48 Rod partner  
51 Barcelona bear

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**Crossword across**

1 Dorsal area  
5 Humour  
8 Hint  
12 Reverberate  
13 Commotion  
14 Dumbo's "wings"  
15 Oklahoma city  
16 Playground game  
17 Child's play  
18 Cookbook entry  
20 With tartness  
22 Melody

23 "Ariadne — Naxos"  
24 Coconut juice  
27 Historical building  
32 Pitching stat  
33 Sch. named for an evangelist  
34 Whopper  
35 Fred Mertz, e.g.  
38 Web journal  
39 Conk out  
40 Cassowary kin  
42 Old-fashioned bladed

weapon  
45 Ambrosia eater's quaff  
49 Settled down  
50 Larry's pal  
52 Hardy cabbage  
53 Prime-time hour  
54 Fool  
55 Garage task  
56 No stay-at-home  
57 "Mayday!"  
58 List-ending abbr.

**previous day's answer**

L	I	M	T	U	B	G	U	F
A	M	O	E	T	O	R	A	L
S	P	A	T	M	A	G	U	E
R	T	R	A	P	E	L	E	N
A	I	N	T	E	N	T	E	N
C	H	I	C	A	J	O	E	S
O	U	C	H	K	E	G	L	A
N	T	H	B	I	C	O	A	S
T	U	N	T	I	D	Y	A	S
D	R	I	E	S	M	E	A	L
O	U	S	T	A	B	W	E	A
O	D	I	N	E	M	U	A	N
M	E	S	A	Y	E	Y	O	D

**This day in history**

AUG. 14, 1846: The Cape Girardeau meteorite, a 2.3 kg chondrite-type meteorite strikes near the town of Cape Girardeau in Cape Girardeau County, Missouri.  
AUG. 14, 1880: Cologne Cathedral, the most famous landmark in Cologne, Germany, completed.  
AUG. 14, 1885: Japan's first patent is issued to the inventor of a rust-proof paint.  
AUG. 14, 1935: United States Social Security Act passes, creating a government pension system for the retired.  
AUG. 14, 2003: Widescale power blackout in the northeast United States and Canada.

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**SUDOKU SOLVE TIME  
IN MINUTES:****previous day's answer**

1	5	9	3	2	4	6	7	8
6	4	7	5	8	1	9	2	3
2	8	3	6	7	9	4	1	5
7	3	4	1	9	2	5	8	6
5	6	2	7	3	8	1	9	4
9	1	8	4	5	6	2	3	7
8	7	1	2	6	5	3	4	9
3	2	6	9	4	7	8	5	1
4	9	5	8	1	3	7	6	2

Under 13 ..... Genius  
13-17 ..... Scholar

17-21 ..... Smart  
21-25 ..... Not bad  
25+ ..... Keep practising  
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**Ottawa weather****Afternoon**

Thunder-showers.  
22°

**Tonight**

Partly  
cloudy.  
14°

**Friday**

Showers.  
24° / 13°

**Saturday**

Partly  
cloudy.  
24° / 12°



Temperature  
Normals  
High: 26.3°  
Low: 14.5°

Records  
High: 37.8°/1944  
Low: 7.2°/1964

Sunrise: 6:03 a.m.  
Sunset: 8:10 p.m.  
Moonset: 3:18 a.m.  
Moonrise: 7:15 p.m.

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